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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE APPLICATION OF:

APPLICANT : JOE P. SCHELL

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action, dated October 31, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.